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Largest Morning and Sunday Circulation in Salt Lake proved by investigation.

AMUSEMENTS TODAY.

Salt Lake—"The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary."
Orpheum—Matinee and night, vaudeville.
Grand—Night, "The Belle of Richmond."
Lyric—Campanella.
Tabernacle—Free organ recital at noon.

WEATHER FOR SALT LAKE.

Fair.

THE METALS.

Silver, 51c per ounce.
Copper (cathodes), 13 1/2-15c per pound.
Lead, 14c per 100 pounds.

A REPUBLICAN VIEW.

The Minneapolis Journal, one of the strongest Republican organs of the middle west, has already caught a glimpse of the coming light. It doesn't believe—or it isn't ready to admit its belief—that Bryan is going to be elected, but it does confess very frankly that the campaign will be the hottest and the most doubtful since the Cleveland campaigns. First of all the declaration of the New York World and the Staats Zeitung for Bryan and the evident inclination of the Herald in the same direction assure him the first effective newspaper support he has ever had in the state, and indicate more than a possibility of a successful campaign there.

The Journal refers to the defection of the Baltimore Sun and expresses wonder if it will take with it a sufficient number of Democrats to give Maryland to Taft. Then it continues, reflectively:

"The presidential campaign promises to have two focal points—one in New York, and the other in the middle west, and each of absorbing interest. The Republican party since 1896 has been electing its candidates for the presidency with scarcely an effort. It has not had an old-time fight since the three Cleveland campaigns, but it seems likely to have one now. This explains the numerous conferences which Chairman Hitchcock of the Republican national committee is having with state leaders, and at Oyster Bay and Hot Springs with President Roosevelt and Mr. Taft, respectively. It explains the unusual work of organization which Hitchcock is undertaking. It explains various statements which Mr. Taft has felt impelled to make, statements which in some quarters sounded like admissions of weakness. It is a fact that thus far Mr. Bryan has been forcing the fighting, and that Mr. Taft, on several occasions, has appeared to be on the defensive.

"But the campaign is young—in fact, it has scarcely begun; the issues which will determine the outcome have probably not yet been formulated. It is therefore too early to say that Taft will not be elected. But it is not too early to say that the Democrats seem to be getting the best start."

TENDERFOOT HUMOR.

There's something guileless and naive about the resolutions those tenderfeet adopted the other day after they had been held up and robbed in the Yellowstone park. They whined and whined to the effect that they had been subjected to great inconvenience and mental anguish by a bold, bad man with a gun, who, without any regard for the proprieties stopped them in the road and compelled them to part with money, jewels and other valuables. Further, it was resolved that since the Yellowstone park is a national reservation and is under government rules, therefore something ought to be done by the government to avoid such unpleasant episodes in the future; and your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

If ever anything held the earmarks of the easterner those resolutions are it. Apparently they thought the Yellowstone was like a section of the Boston common with nice little footpaths

and green grass all about, Irish policemen patrolling the corners and electric lights in the shrubbery. It doesn't seem to have occurred to their guileless souls that there are spots within a day's ride of the great park where a regiment could hide without fear of detection and an ordinary cowboy could lose himself from an army. If he were given ten minutes' start of his pursuers.

Uncle Sam is doing pretty well to keep track of the bears in the park and protect the big game for presidential diversion without trying to round up all the bad men who lie hid on its borders. The tourist who gets off the railroad in that neck of the woods is in the same category with any other venturer in the wilds; and, unless he's a mollycoddle, he'll take his hold-up as part of the fun, provided he doesn't get full of lead in the excitement of the occasion.

Besides, the chump who carries a wad of money on such a journey, or the feather-headed woman who lugs around thar on what is an exploring trip in the wilds, ought to get held up and robbed if anybody is to be victimized. As a matter of comparison, the Yellowstone, or the Yosemite, or the Grand canyon is a lot safer for life and property than Broadway or State street at night. Once in a great while some festive joker may come along and stop a stage but, as in this instance, the subjects of his joke suffer no personal injury, whereas the thug of the big cities is wont to tap his victims on the head with a section of lead pipe, to the detriment of his health and happiness.

Besides, such an adventure as the stage passengers had will afford material for conversation the rest of their lives. They can go home and tell marvelous tales of dangers in the wilderness; they can pose as heroes of thrilling escapes and hand down to the next generation a narrative of life in the wild and woolly west that will discount the life of Kit Carson.

Instead of criticising the government because they happened to be robbed, these tenderfeet ought to make up a purse for the robber, in case he is caught, as an acknowledgment of their appreciation for the genuine thriller he got up for their benefit.

WIRELESS TELEPHONE.

There were many wonderful inventions during the nineteenth century, and with each succeeding one it seemed as if the limit had been reached. Not so, however. The new century bids fair to eclipse all its predecessors. Even before we thoroughly understand the working of the wireless telegraph, three French naval lieutenants appear before us with a wireless telephone apparatus which tests have shown to be a remarkable success. A message was recently transmitted a distance of 310 miles. The words were somewhat faint, but could be plainly distinguished, and the trio of young officers believe they can make improvements in the apparatus, enabling the exchange of conversation up to 600 or 700 miles.

The present apparatus is the result of only four months' experimentation. Lieutenant Collin, the chief inventor, is a well-known wireless expert, having installed the wireless station in the Eiffel tower, which is one of the most efficient in the world. He is now superintending the installation of an improved and more powerful plant, making possible the transmission of dispatches between Paris and New York.

We begin to have doubts about there being nothing new under the sun. It might have been more or less true when it was written, but if Solomon were once again on earth and could spare the time from his large and interesting family, he certainly would find plenty of "new" things to interest him. Even Ben Franklin, who hasn't been dead but a little over one hundred years, would probably climb the first electric light pole he came to if he were suddenly placed on earth without having the great advance in the knowledge and application of electricity explained to him. The next generation may be able not only to fly through space, but to keep up an animated conversation with other aerial navigators hundreds of miles distant.

All things seem to be possible to the modern genius, but we who enjoy to the utmost the many wonderful appliances of the last two or three decades will probably be objects of commiseration a couple of generations hence. There is no limit to the game.

Is that million-dollar stock exchange failure another evidence of returning prosperity or is it due to fear that Bryan may be elected, or is it just because the crooks have been caught before they could get away with the loot?

Now, if Colonel Loose will only "come through" with the usual campaign check all the Smoot machine will forgive him for thinking he would make a good governor when Spry wants the job.

Mr. Hitchcock and Mr. Vorys have gotten tangled up over the Foraker row and both are making a noise as though they had been introduced forcibly to a buzz-saw.

Those councilmen who are talking of meters for water would strike a popular chord if they suggested meters for council speeches, with an increasing tax as the speeches droned along.

Colonel Loose says he hasn't deserted Smoot and doesn't mean to bolt the machine. Some folks never know what has hit them, anyway.

United States Marshal Spry has been out on what he calls a fishing trip. Reports indicate that his bait came from Republican headquarters.

SOCIETY

In honor of the Misses Severance of Los Angeles, who are the guests of Mrs. O. J. Salisbury, Miss Anna McCormick entertained at dinner last evening at her home, No. 1 Center street. Covers were laid for twelve, and table decorations were in pink and white. A large basket of pink and white sweet peas ornamented the center of the round table, and the place cards were in pink and white.

Mrs. Charles P. Blyth of Evanston was guest of honor at a bridge affair yesterday afternoon, given by Mrs. W. H. Childs at her home, 1172 East South Temple street. Four tables of players enjoyed the game, and prizes were taken by Mrs. Fred Dem, Mrs. Roscoe Breeden, Mrs. Elbridge Thomas and Miss Mildred McMillan. Mrs. Hal Brown and Mrs. M. D. Whitney poured, and also assisting the hostess were the Misses Rae and Olive Bartch.

Mrs. W. R. Butler entertained at luncheon yesterday for Mrs. Louise Sumner and Miss Butler of St. Louis, who are visiting Mrs. M. A. Daugherty. Covers were laid for twelve, and table decorations were baskets of pink asters and ferns. Besides the guests of honor, those enjoying the affair were Mrs. John Weir, Mrs. Thomas Weir, Mrs. Daugherty, Mrs. William C. Jennings, Mrs. T. B. Beatty, Mrs. Ledyard Bailey, Mrs. Emily Bailey, Mrs. B. A. McMillan and Miss Crafts.

Table d'hôte dinner at 6 o'clock and dancing at 9 is the program for today at the Country club. A number of dinner parties have been arranged, one of note being that at which a number of the younger girls will be hostesses.

Mrs. A. S. Rowan of Fort Douglas entertains at a matinee party this afternoon in honor of Miss Eva Marden, who is the guest of Mrs. Richard Keyes.

Miss Nora Murdoch will be hostess at an Orpheum party this afternoon in honor of Miss Irene Armstrong.

Dean and Mrs. Benjamin Brewster and children, who have been spending the summer months in Colorado Springs, have returned to the city.

Mrs. Graham Putnam and sons, Lawrence and John, who were expected to arrive in the city yesterday to be the guests for a few days of Mrs. E. E. Lamson, have postponed the visit until Monday of next week.

Miss Beth Critchlow returned from Silver Lake last evening. Mrs. E. B. Critchlow and sons, Francis, George and Maurice, will return today.

The Sewing club will meet on Thursday of next week with Mrs. William McCrea, 422 East First South street.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Daly, who have been spending the past two weeks touring the northwest, are expected home Sunday.

Miss Claudia Morris has returned from Brighton, where she spent the last two weeks.

Mrs. W. R. Ashby and daughter, Naomi, and Mrs. Helen Franklin have returned from a six weeks' visit with friends in Portland and Seattle.

Mrs. J. M. Callow has returned from a visit at Brighton.

The Busy Bee club met Thursday afternoon with Miss Beatrice Worthen.

Miss Jessie Goddard, formerly a popular teacher in the Salt Lake High school, will stop over a few days in the city en route from Boston, where she has been taking an advanced normal course, to her home in Portland. She will probably arrive the first week in September, and will be accompanied home by Miss Rachel King, who has been a guest for several weeks at the home of Judge and Mrs. M. L. Ritchie.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

677—Robert E. Kremers, Salt Lake.
Jessie F. McCullough, Salt Lake.

Pure Creamery Butter.

Made by the Crescent Cream Co. If your dealer don't handle Crescent Butter, phone us. Only one grade. Made fresh in the creamery daily.

Day & Lynch, the public stenographers, have moved from 304 to 608 Judge building. Phone, Bell 909.

Call for Democratic State Convention.

Headquarters Democratic State Committee, Salt Lake City, Utah, Aug. 17, 1908.

A Democratic state convention is hereby called to meet at Logan City, Utah, on Tuesday, Sept. 22, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating three presidential electors, who will vote in the electoral college for William J. Bryan and John W. Kern for president and vice president, respectively, of the United States; and candidates for the following offices for the state of Utah:

One Justice of the Supreme Court, Congressman, Governor, Secretary of State, State Treasurer, State Auditor, Attorney General, Superintendent of Public Instruction. And to select a new state committee. The convention will consist of 500 delegates, and they will be apportioned on the basis of one delegate for every fifty-four votes cast for O. W. Powers for congress in 1906. This will give the respective counties the following representation:

Beaver	10	Rich	3
Box Elder	15	Salt Lake	113
Cache	48	San Juan	1
Carbon	3	Sanpete	20
Davis	15	Sevier	20
Emery	9	Summit	21
Garfield	2	Tooele	19
Grand	1	Utah	9
Iron	2	Wasatch	11
June	16	Washington	12
Millard	12	Wayne	4
Morgan	5	Weber	41
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The chairman of the Democratic county committee in each county is hereby directed to call either primaries or convention on Sept. 17, 1908, for the election of these delegates.

Delegates and visitors to this convention will be sold round trip tickets to Logan at single fare on all railroads from all points in the state, and from Evanston, Wyo.

Tickets will be sold Sept. 20, 21 and 22, good returning until Sept. 25. Special train via O. S. L. will leave Salt Lake at 7:30 a. m. Sept. 22, arriving Logan about 10:45 a. m.

LYMAN R. MARINEAU, Chairman.

J. E. CLARK, Secretary.

Keith-O'Brien Co.

A BUSY SATURDAY AT A BUSY STORE

First Showing of New Goods at Attractive Prices

SKIRT SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

All wool Panama skirts in black, navy and brown; gored model front; trimmed with buttons; bias fold around the bottom. Regular values \$10.00—Saturday \$6.95.

Black voile skirt of good material; trimmed with silk bands and narrow satin folds; outturned at the side. Very new and a splendid value. Saturday special.

All wool Panamas in black, navy and brown, handsomely tailored skirt, gored flare model strapped with band cloth; perfect fitting skirt. Saturday special \$7.95.

Handsome line of tailored taffeta—brown, navy, black, green, light blue and pearl gray. Special price Saturday, \$3.95.

Candy Section

Cocoanut Patties—Regular 40c a pound for 25c—a fine cream mixture and splendid cocoanut.

Assorted Fruit Tablets—40c pound for 25c.

On Saturday Only—Jewelry Section

Hat pins of all kinds and colors. Values are 35c and 50c. The entire lot for 10c. New novelties are arriving daily.

Belt Section—Bargains for One Day

250 White Wash Belts—75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 values. Will be sold Saturday at 35c.

This means early buying if you want a correct size.

Toilet Goods Section

50c size of DR. E. L. GRAVES Tooth Powder for 25c.

Unequaled for teeth health—known the world over. Don't forget—ONE DAY—the 50c half pound tins for 25c.

The Stationery Section

Eaton Hurlbut's 35c and 50c box of papers—linen or plate finish—for 25c box.

A. P. W. toilet paper roll of 2,500 sheets for—25c.

Balsam Sanitissue Toilet Paper—15c roll or 2 for 25c.

Half Price—Post Card Albums

These albums hold from 100 to 500 post-cards. None reserved. Every album is in the sale.

Tailored Waists

New models and complete new stock in white and colored linens. Very smart \$1.95 to \$6.75.

Big Bargains on Floor Below

Johnson Bros.' white and decorated semi-porcelain china ware, odds and ends, at half price, platters, vegetable dishes, sugar bowls and creamers, soup plates, plates, etc.

One-fifth discount on all china and cut glass.

One-third reduction on hammocks. Sale will run one week.

Knit Vests at Half Price

Sample line of women's summer knit vests, union suits and pants; regular prices 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Values at one-half price.

Cleanup of our Summer Kimonos and Dressing Sacques

Light lawn dressing sacques and short kimonos. Regular 75c to \$1.25 styles; to close out—49c.

All our regular \$1.35 to \$2.75 values to close at—98c.

All of our white or light lawn house gowns and kimonos will be closed at one-half price. Regular \$3.95, for \$1.98.

Regular \$5.00, for \$2.50.

Regular \$6.50, for \$3.25.

Regular \$10.75, for \$5.38.

MEN'S CORNER

Suit Cases

The big run on suit cases is due to the character of them and the low selling prices. Save you some money every time.

Shirts

Collars and Cuffs attached. Sizes up to 17. Special price 79c.

Bat Wash Ties, 15c.

New Line Fall Shirts

Newest patterns, cuffs attached and detached. Marked low to sell quickly.

Schuster's Ladies' Orchestra

Program for Saturday Evening.

March, "A Message From".....Ascher

Overture, "Sunny Shells".....Kritschmann